

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) Equipment for cold-drawing a metal wire, said equipment comprising

a succession of a sleeve (5) with a cylindrical hole (8) and a threading die (11) with a conical hole (14) in the an advance path of the wire, said sleeve (5) being inserted into located in a support (6) casing and terminating with an extension (9) inserted extending into said conical hole (14) of said threading die (11), characterised in that said support (6) has having a first annular projection (20) and said threading die (11) has a second annular projection (22) extending into and coupled to said first projection (20) so as by manual pressure mounting to keep said sleeve (5) and said threading die (11) in position.

2. (Currently Amended) Equipment according to claim 1, characterised in that it comprises further comprising an annular gasket (23) located in the a part (24) of said first projection (20) that comes up abutting against said second projection (22).

3. (Currently Amended) Equipment according to claim 1, characterised in that wherein said extension (9) of the sleeve (5) is inserted into the conical hole (14) of the threading die (11) so that it said extension is impermeable to the isolated from cooling water of said equipment.

4. (Currently Amended) Equipment according to claim 1, characterised in that it comprises further comprising a wire lubrication tank (2) and in that the sleeve (5) and the threading die (11) are positioned at the an output of said tank (2).